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ATLANTIC COAST PIPELINE

AP: Agency denies pipeline's request for more time to cut trees

Richmond Times-Dispatch: To protect birds and endangered bats, feds reject pipeline bid to continue cutting

WRAL: Pipeline opponents hold vigil outside governor's office

Progressive Pulse: In a setback for utilities, FERC denies Atlantic Coast Pipeline request for tree-cutting extension

OFFSHORE DRILLING

Progressive Pulse: North Carolina should copy this New Jersey law right away

DUKE ENERGY

Wilmington Star-News: OPINION, Tom Campbell: Duke Energy CEO's shocking pay package

Charlotte Business Journal: What will Duke Energy's grid plan really cost? Document raises questions about company's

account

Charlotte Business Journal: <u>Duke Energy won't comment on top state lobbyists' membership in controversial group</u>

WFAE: Duke Energy Turns To A New Source Of Natural Gas: N.C. Hogs

OPIOID CRISIS

News and Observer: Opioid overdoses in NC are rising faster than in the rest of Southeast, ER data shows

Salisbury Post: Rep. Richard Hudson talks opioid abuse in Cabarrus County

WCQS: Testing Wastewater For Opioids: North Carolina Town Pilots New Technology

HEALTH CARE

Asheville Citizen-Times: Potential Mission buyer HCA has made money, endured scandals and grown News and Observer: Missing drugs. Patient overdoses. NC stops admissions to a facility for the elderly. Charlotte Business Journal: Atrium exec: Lawsuit over anesthesia contract 'misleading, inaccurate'

WFAE: Atrium Health Says New Anesthesiology Provider Will Save Patients Money

PRISON SAFETY

AP: North Carolina prison officials assaulted in 2 attacks

CHILD POVERTY

Asheville Citizen-Times: Child poverty rates in Buncombe still a 'major problem'

EDUCATION

Charlotte Observer: Project LIFT's work on CMS schools has been hailed and heckled. Now it's evolving.

WFAE: Most NC School Districts Are Well Under Suggested Amount Of Psychologists

WFAE: Charlotte Talks: Addressing Mental Health Within Our Schools

WFAE: Dept. Of Education Fail: Teachers Lose Grants, Forced To Repay Thousands In Loans

NC Policy Watch: Charlotte-Meck split? School district "secession" idea draws heavy criticism from integration

proponents

Progressive Pulse: Report: Tuition hikes reduce diversity at public colleges and universities

Progressive Pulse: <u>Editorial: Don't re-segregate our schools</u> Education NC: <u>DACAmented: uncertainty in the life of a teacher</u>

Carolina Journal: Research isn't clear about impact of school district size, lawmakers told

SCHOOL SAFETY

News and Observer: NC school leaders want to crack down on school threats, which have risen 300% in US

News and Observer: School is not rehearsal for the 'real world.' When students speak, let's listen

Gaston Gazette: Gaston commissioner calls for more cops in schools

Rhino Times: Top Law Enforcement Officials Meet to Seek Solutions to Prevent School Shooters

MONUMENTS

Durham Herald-Sun: UNC leaders hope new signs will put Silent Sam's history in context

REWARDS

WTKR: Governor offers \$5K reward leading to arrest of Northampton County murder suspect

BOARDS OF ELECTIONS

Winston-Salem Journal: Winston-Salem Republican Ken Raymond appointed to N.C. elections board; gives up WSSU trustee, Forsyth elections board posts

Greensboro News and Record: Guilford County elections board members to be sworn in Thursday

Robesonian: <u>Townsend to become fourth member of local Board of Elections</u>
Rhino Times: Gov. Cooper Relents, Guilford County Finally Gets Board of Elections

JOBS

Area Development: New York Air Brake Expands Salisbury, North Carolina, Operations

Area Development: Corvid Technologies Expands Headquarters in Mooresville, North Carolina

INFRASTRUCTURE

Public Radio East: State Approves More Than 60 Eastern North Carolina Water Infrastructure Projects

POPULATION

Fayetteville Observer: Cumberland County lags as NC population booms

WFAE: New Census Data Shows Mecklenburg County Continues To Grow Rapidly

CENSUS

WRAL: Trump census question about citizenship could impact NC representation, federal funding, officials say

Charlotte Business Journal: How North Carolina's solar jobs growth stacks up in nationwide census

RURAL-URBAN DIVIDE

News and Observer: NC's rural-urban divide reveals 'classic tale of two Carolinas' at N&O forum

MLK COMMEMORATION

News and Observer: The day he was killed, Martin Luther King Jr. was supposed to be in North Carolina

WWAY: GOV. COOPER TO DELIVER KEYNOTE ADDRESS DURING MLK COMMEMORATION

WOMENS HISTORY MONTH

Laurinburg Exchange: Support women's mental health

ACC TOURNAMENT BET

News and Observer: NC governor makes good on his beer bet with Virginia leader. Here's what he bought.

WTOP: Beer is in the mail: North Carolina gov. pays up on basketball bet with Va. gov.

IDITAROD TRAIL RACE

Asheville Citizen-Times: 'Like sleeping in a coffin:' Asheville runner recounts 1,000-mile Iditarod footrace win Asheville Citizen-Times: Asheville's Peter Ripmaster wins 1,000-mile Iditarod Trail Race, arrives home Tuesday

NC POLITICS

McClatchy: Trump names a former aide to Helms and Tillis to lead transition at VA

Charlotte Observer: NC Senate race reflects Democratic dilemma: Stand on principle or stand with Republicans

Greensboro News and Record: <u>HPU Poll: President Trump's approval rating hits 40 percent in N.C.</u>
News and Observer: <u>'Worst politician in NC' bracket inspires a GOP campaign to be champion</u>
News and Observer: <u>NC's newest political party is Green. Here's what you need to know about it.</u>

Fayetteville Observer: <u>Our View: And now, a touch of Green</u>
Bladen Journal: Green Party candidates will appear on N.C. ballots

Mountain Xpress: Green Party gets recognition on North Carolina ballots, voter registration

North State Journal: <u>State board puts the Green Party on NC ballots</u> Carolina Journal: <u>Five losers and one winner from protectionism</u>

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